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Re: **United States Plant Patent Application Entitled**
BIDENS PLANT NAMED 'SUNBIDESUPA'
Application No. 10/810,046; Filed March 26, 2004
CPH Ref. A400:52224; Your Ref. STYF(STY)-P084-US

Gentlemen:

In reviewing our deposit account statement (no. 03-1728), dated January 3, 2006 (copy attached) we noted two incorrect charges, as follows:

12/28 199	10810046	52224/DBP/A400	1504	\$255.00
12/28 201	10810046	52224/DBP/A400	8001	9.00

As can be seen by the attached cancelled check, no. 026573, the amount of \$1445 was paid on December 23, 2005, with a breakdown of the fees as follows:

-	\$1100	issue fee
-	\$300	publication fee
-	\$45	copies of patent (3 @ \$15 each)

Total \$1445

Also attached is a copy of the Part B-Fee(s) Transmittal, noting the additional charges by the OIPE.

There does not appear to be any basis for the \$255 and \$9 charges.

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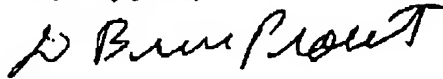
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Therefore, please refund the amounts of \$255 and \$9 to Deposit Account No. 03-1728.

Very truly yours,



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Attachments: Deposit Account Statement, dated January 3, 2006
Cancelled check
Part B-Fee(s) Transmittal

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